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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :
Laurent ALBERA, et al. : Confirmation No. 4358
Application No. 10/813,673 : Group Art Unit: 2857
Filed: March 31, 2004 : Examiner: CAROL S W TSAI

For: METHOD FOR THE HIGHER-ORDER BLIND IDENTIFICATION OF MIXTURES
OF SOURCES

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Official Action dated July 13, 2005 for one month from October 13, 2005 to November 13, 2005.

A credit card authorization form to cover the cost of the extension is attached. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No.: 07-1337.

Respectfully submitted,
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